# MISSOURI HEALTH PROFESSIONAL STATE LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM

Licensed health professionals may apply for up to \$50,000 in financial assistance to reduce educational debt and practice in a Health Professional Shortage Area (HPSA) for 2 years.



# **ELIGIBLE DISCIPLINES**

#### Primary Care Physicians

- ⇒ Family Practice
- ⇒ Internal Medicine
- ⇒ Pediatrics
- ⇒ Obstetrics/ Gynecology

# **Doctors of Dentistry**

⇒ General Dentistry

# WHAT IS A HEALTH PROFESSIONAL SHORTAGE AREA (HPSA)?

A federally designated area experiencing a shortage of primary care providers.



### **APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY**

# EXAMPLES OF ELIGIBLE EMPLOYMENT

- ⇒ US Citizen
- ⇒ Missouri Resident
- ⇒ Licensed to
  Practice in
  Missouri
- ⇒ Maintains Qualifying Employment
- ⇒ Agree to Work in HPSA for 2 years
- ⇒ Provide Primary Care to General Population

- ⇒ Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHC)
- ⇒ FQHC look-a-likes
- ⇒ Rural Health
- ⇒ Hospital-Affiliated Primary Care Clinics
- ⇒ Free Clinics
- ⇒ Private Practice
- ⇒ School-Based-Clinics

For more information or to apply visit http://health.mo.gov/living/families/primarycare/

For Questions Call (573)751-6219 or (800)891-7451



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